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The reply brief filed 12 January 2009 has been entered and considered. The application has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for decision on the appeal.  
No response to this letter is required.

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